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Officer Miles J Barber

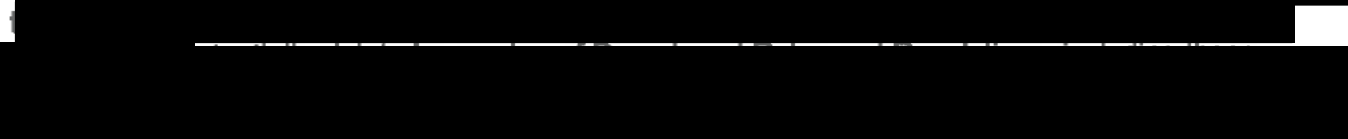


Officer Barber:

Per our prior conversation, I am informing you that I am issuing you a [REDACTED] regarding your conduct and actions in connection with Administrative Investigation 2011-IA-015. I have received and reviewed Lieutenant Katherine O'Brien's investigation report. On the basis of the Lt's investigation it is clear that during the events of April 30, 2011 at [REDACTED] and during the subsequent criminal proceedings, you at best displayed a [REDACTED]

During our conversation regarding this incident, you acknowledged that you deliberately labeled a document as a "Witness Statement to Lenox Police Department" but never provided the document to the Lenox Police. You signed the document with your rank and identification number, despite the fact that this information was provided in the capacity of a civilian witness. Rather than submit the document via the investigating agency, you circumvented the system by utilizing department personnel.

As a result of your actions, both the Lenox Police Department and the Pittsfield District Court were impacted. Court personnel were forced to reschedule testimony in connection with the incident, due to the documentation you submitted. It is clear that from the outset of this incident you [REDACTED]



[REDACTED] Future violations of Department Rules and Regulations will result in progressive [REDACTED]

Respectfully,

Michael J. Wynn
Chief of Police

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